## WASHINGTON.

CONFERENCE REPORT UPON THE GENERAL DEFICIENCY APPRO-PRIATION BILL.

Amendment to Reimburse Hayes for Money Expended on the Louisiana Com'n.

House Filibusters on the Mexican Pension Bill-River and Harbor Bill.

Postal Telegraph Discussed in the Senate-Remarks of Senator Maxey.

CONGRESSIONAL

SENATE. WASHINGTON, July 2.—The senate insisted on its amendments to the naval bill, and a new conference was and after sevcallsorde ordered. The senate then went into call

the interior from certifying or patent. sent from the post of duty. ing any lands to railroad corporations. until congress shall have acted upon not privilegeo any bill or report from the committee tavoring the forfeiture of such lands.

and, from the senate committee on recede judiciary. It is proposed to amend to the amendments in controversy the title so as to read "an act declar- appropriating small sums for paving ing certain lands subject to taxation." taken up. Pending consideration of the bill the

senate insisted on its amendments to amendment making an appropriation Mr. Sherman offered the following

Resolved, the senate will meet at the usual hour, Friday, Fourth of July, and after the reading of the Journal and before other business is done, the secretary of the senate shall read the declaration of independence and Washington's farewell address. The consideration of the sundry

civil bill was then proceeded with. the clause providing for participation by the government in the New Orleans exposition.

Messrs. Jonas and Gibson energetically opposed the committee's proposed amendment to reduce, from \$500,000 to \$250,000, the amount appropriated to enable the government o participate in the New Orleans ex-

Not agreed to, and the appropriation was made \$250,000 The bill then passed and the senate

Mr. Hencly from the committee on public lands, reported a bill for forfeiture of lands granted to aid in the to comply with that suggestion, at the construction of a railroad from Portland, Oregon, to counect with the gallant fight he had made in favor of

In pursuance of an agreement vestion was agreed to: Yeas, 150; nays,

The conference report on the bill

proceed to the consideration of busiless on the speaker's table, his object being to reach the Mexican pension tae table was one providing for two upon, is \$20,886,421.

The bill passed to preme court of Dakota. The senate The next bill was the Mexican pen-

sion bill, with senate amendments against this Mr. Hewitt raised the estion of consideration in favor of he special order being the bill granting pensions to survivors of the Mexan and Indian wars. Mr. Hewitt (New York) asked unan-

inous consent for the adoption of a preamble and resolution reciting that nimerous fraudulent transactions, recently, had been disclosed in several recutive departments of the government, and asking a committee of thiron members of the house be app nted by the speaker to make a graral investigation of the whole

ing of the resolution Mr. Hiscock jocularly, it was a reflection on the committees of a democratic house.

Mr. Hewitt replied it was a reflection on the republican administration of the government. Does my colleague, said Mr. Hewitt, of Missouri. Posti "take the responsibility of refusing to Hill, Crocket, Texas.

allow an investigation to be made? Mr. Hiscock—"Yes, I do." So the resolution was not received.

WASHINGTON, July 4 .- The was called to order promptly at 11 o'clock, and after prayer, by Bishop Andrews, the declaration of independ ence was read The senate further insisted on its mendments to the deficiency bill

and re-appointed the same committee The bill passed goting a pension of the widow of General Ord, vidow and one to authorize the presi-

lent to appoint General Averill to e position of colonel in the army, ad then place him on the retired on, and when the doors re-opened, ook a recess until 9 p. m.

fessages were received from the supply the demand for six months. that body in conference reports on the river and harbor bill; the bill to punriver and harbor bill; the bill to punish violators of the internal revenue laws; the bill amending the 72nd article of war, and the bill to consolidate the bureau of military justice and the subject of the

cle of war, and the hill to constant the bureau of relilitary justice and corps of judge advocates of the army.

The senate agreed to the report of its own conferees on these bills.

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Mr. Hill addressed the senate on the subject of betaining more wages for employes, he asked that the convention pause before adopting the resolutions as presented. He would move that the tariff question be referred to the national convention, which would meet in five days, and he had no doubt it trains were telescoped near Cunning-ham who would neet to be fore hand, being cognizant of its consummation attenuates. She is in custody.

Trains Telescoped.

CINCINNAYI, July 2.—Two freight trains were telescoped near Cunning-ham who would meet the post of the would neet to be fore and to the national convention, which would meet in five days, and he had no doubt it trains were telescoped near Cunning-ham who would meet in five days, and he had no doubt it trains were telescoped near Cunning-ham who would neet with the contractor or the government of the would move that the fixes the rate at which the contractor or the government of the would move that the fixes the rate at which the contract og the government to buy, or

build, lines were meant to protect the

people from exorbitant rates.

Mr. Maxey said the majority of the senate committee on postoffices and postroads, were opposed to the propo sition that the government should buy or build lines. There was no constitutional objection, he said, to the government contracting for the transmission of intelligence by telegraph, no more than by mail, but that was as far as the committee had wished to go. He moved to strike

out the clauses authorizing buying or building.

Pending the motion, Mr. Sherman moved to postpone further consideration of the bill till the second Monday in December, saying it was impossible to sufficiently discuss so important a measure. The motion was agreed on and the bill went over accordingly.

HOUSE. WASHINGTON, July 4 .- The house met at 10 o'clock this morning, in continuation of Thursday's session. The conference report on the bill to consolidate the bureau of military justice and corps of judge advocates vas agreed to

The house then resumed considera tion of the senate amendments to the Mexican pension bill, but for want of a quorum it was postponed

Mr. Brewer, New York, moved, at After ten minutes in executive ses- 12 m., that the house go into commitsion, the senate resumed legislative tee of the whole, for the purpose of considering that great state paper, the Mr. Van Wyck, from the committee | declaration of independence, and that on public lands, reported favorably a important document be now read for resolution prohibiting the secretary of the information of members now ab-The speaker ruled the motion

Roll call followed roll call in monot onous succession on motion to ad-Mr. Garland, from the committee journ, and for calls of the house, unon judiciary, reported, with amend- til 12:30, when M. Randall presented ments, house bill relating to taxation a conference report on the general deof Pacific railroad lands. The amend- ficiency appropriation bill. It anment is a substitute for the provisions | nounces agreement on all amendments of the house bill and those of the bill in the controversy except the from its disagreement

reported early this session by Mr. Gar- 23d. Mr. Calkins moved the house appropriating small sums for paving streets around public buildings in Des The sundry civil bills were then Moins, St. Louis, and Grand Rapids. Lost: yeas, 65; nays, 116. A similar motion, regarding an

the river-and harbor bill and ordered to reimburse Ex-president Hayes for expenses of a commission appointed to go to Louisiana in 1877, met with a similar fate. The report was agreed to, and Messrs. Randall, Burns and Calkins, were re-appointed conferees. Mr. Willis presented a conference report on the river and harbor appropriation bill. Agreed to. The bill, as it passed the house, appropriated \$12,086,200. As agreed to

in the conference, it appropriates \$13,-899,700. The amendment proposed by the senate committee to strike out the ence report on the bill introduced by clause providing for compensation by him limiting the time within which salaries, instead of fees for United the prosecution may be instituted States marshals, gave rise to consid-erable discussion. The committee's of the revenue laws. Agreed to. As amends were finally agreed to and the agreed to the bill reduces the time provision for salaries were struck out. within which offenders may be prose-Mr. Beck moved to include the Cin- cuted from five to three years, when cinnati and Louisville expositions in the penalty is imprisonment in the penitentiary 1 to 2 years. Filibustering against the Mexican pension bill then continued until 4:45,

when the house took a recess until ? this evening. At the evening session the house esumed consideration of the Mexican pension bill, and in view of the strong opposition to the measure, both on the part of those who thought granting a ervice pension was inadvisable, and the amend- of these who were opposed to the re- The report was adopted. The com- can be shown that he would accept strictions placed upon it by the senate, the amendments were non-concurred in and a conference was ordered.

Mr. Hewitt (Ala.) objected. Mr. Shelly suggested the bill be laid aside and the house proceed to the consideration of private pension bills Mr. Calkins asked Mr. Townshend same time complimenting him on the Mexican pension bill.

Mr. Townshend refused to accede to the request and the question recurred terday, the house proceeded to vote on ordering the previous question on upon a motion to substitute the miyears of age, or have, or may become in the de the subject of any disability or depen- and 1830. deacy equivalent to the same cause Howey and York, voted with the democrats in the affirmative, and Dargan, Ellis, Findlay, Finerty, Hancock, O'Neill. of Missouri, and excludes from its benefits such per-Patton with the republicans, in the sons as have incurred disability while negative. This is a question which has been

tion of the substitute, was then pass-ed: Yeas, 103; nays, 46. It app:o-no quorum has voted at any time. It was not more successful to-night, and on the yeas and nays being caligranting right of way through the ed, the house was left without a Indian Territory to the Southern quorum. Mr. Holman submitted a conference report on the legislative, judicial and appropriation executive

Of the amendments placed on bill by the senate the conference committee, reached agreement on all except twenty-six. The total amount appro-Agreed to, 153 to 73. The first bill on priated by the bill, as far as agreed The bill passed to esteblish a bureau of navigation in the treasury department, under a commissioner of navi-

On motion of Mr. Bayard, a bill for the relief of Mr. McGarrah, was inlefinitely postponed. The senate at 10:30 went into executive session. When the doors reopened the senate took a recess until

Squire, Washington Territory, gov-ernor tof Washington Territory; Gil-bert A. Pierce, of Illinois, governor of Dakota; Henry C. Neal, of Ohio, soldistrict of Texas.

Chas. S. Hane, cf Illinois, chief by the justice, territory of Utah; J. E. D. Cousins, of Missouri, marshal for the 4. Inited States for the eastern district of Missouri. Postmasters-F. H

WASHINGTON, July 2.—The house consider its action in the contested election case of Fredericks v. Wilson, of Iowa, and the latter gentleman will

MILLS TO SHUT DOWN.

BALTIMORE, July 2.—The cotton duck mills of Wm. E. Hooper & Sons, at Woodberry, will shut down probably until Santambar These are five Hooper mills, known as Mount Washington, Parkdale, Woodberry, Meadow and Clipper. Wm. E. Hooper says one of the five might be kept running to fill orders, but as for the others, he could not say when they will start up, but would consider it fortunate if the trade would justify such a step before September. He said if production should stop all over the country, there still would be cotton duck enough to

## REVENUE ONLY

THAT IS WHAT THE ILLINOIS DEM-OCRATS ARE FOR, FIRST AND LAST.

Peoria Platform Knocks the Spots Out of the Randall Heresy.

sentiment Unanimous, and th Convention Wild for Tilden if He'll Run.

Excited Set-to Between Harrison and Morrison, Decidedly Racy Reading.

order at 12:30 p. m., by J. H. Oberly, chairman of the state central committee, who spoke at considerable length, enlogizing the democratic party, and arragning the republican party in sethe instructions, 653; against striking vere terms. He referred to S. J. Til-den, as the second Jefferson, which ing out, 30. was received with prolonged cheering, and the remark that if he had not declined a renomination it would have been tendered him at Chicago. This was also received with cheers, mingled with a few noes. Reference to Cleveland, McDonald and Morrison also brought out cheers mingled with cries of "Tilden!" When the speaker asked the question: "Shall we in spite of the declination of Mr. 1 ilden, nominate him for president of the United States?" The convention rose and cheered vociferously. Henry Clay Connelly, of Rock

land, was chosen temporary cha man, and William J. Mieze, of Moultrie, temporary secretary. On the reassembling of the convention after recess, a report was received from the committee on credentials. that its work would not be completed by 7 o'clock.

The chair announced no other busi ness than the report of the committee on credentials was in order, but the Marsh convention refused to adjourn, and after some delay, ex-Governor Jno. M. Palmer, was called on, and spoke at considerable length on the question of free trade and tariff, declaring in favor of a tariff for revenue only, and limited by the necessities of economical government. He said if ne had the power of Him who said 'Lazarus come forth!" he (the speaker) would say: "Samuel J. Tilden, come forth!" (Cheers.) Somebody had said the committee on delegates at large to the national convention had chosen nim (Palmer) as one of the number. If that were true, he would go to New York himself and see Tilden. He would take no one's word for it. This statament was received with great cheers and waiving of handkerhiefs and hats and fans. The speaker proceeded: "But suppose Tilden could not or would not run, what then?" [Cries of "Cleveland," "Mc-Donald," "Morrison" and "Palmer." The convention at 5:30 took a re cess till 7.

THE PLATFORM. When the convention reassembled, the committee on credentials reported. ports Judge M. R. Crawford, of Union, for chairman; Secretary W. J. Mizel, with assistants. Judge Crawford addressed the convention briefly, after which the chair-

man of the committee on resolutions, read the platform as follows, the reading being frequently interrupted by applause:

Resolved, by the democracy of the Brown, of the committee in charge of state of Illinois, in convention assembled:

1. That we pledge ourselves anew to the constitutional doctrines and concurring in the sixth amendment of traditions of the democratic party nority fortification bill for the bill the senate which limits the provisions reported by the majority of the committee on appropriations. The momentum mittee on appropriations. The momentum mittee on appropriations. The momentum mittee on appropriations as illustrated by the teachings and example of a long line of democratic statesmen and patriots, and embodied dation of reporters, will not number in the democratic platforms of 1876 as many as were placed in the repub-2. That we proclaim afresh our

pension firm opposition to centralization in made and the parties notified. reason government affairs, and to the dangerous spirit of encroachment which tends to consolidate the powers of the government, and thus create—what-ever the form—a real and steadily-plications for desk privileges. Repreadvancing despotism. 3. That as declared be the national

democratic convention of 1876, we insist that reform is necessary in the sum and modes of federal taxation, to the end that capital man be set free from distrust and labor lightly their purposes. burdened. We severely denounce the high protective tariff, maintained for more than twenty years by the repub lican party, substantially as it now delegation to the Democratic Conven-exists, and which is levied upon near-tion has been announced to arrive for ly 4,000 articles, as a masterpiece of the past two days, and the local recep inequality and raise tion committee has been on the look-It has impoverished out to receive them properly; but this pretenses. many industries to subsidize a few. afternoon they abendoned the effort. chase the products of American labor. It has degraded American commerce from the first, to an inferior rank upon the high seas. It has cut down the sale of American New York delegation, and National manufacturers at home and abroad, Committeeman Barnum, are expectand depleted the returns of American York delegation is expected to hold a caucus Saturday night, upon the result of which great interest naturally

agriculture and industry followed by half our people. It costs the people five times more than it produces to the treasury; obstructs the process of production, and wastes the fruits WASHINGTON, July 2.-Watson C. of labor. It promotes fraud, fosters

icitor of the treasury; Jno. T. Hull, of thus demanding, the delegates from Mississippi, receiver of public mon-ies, Jackson, Miss.; Sam'l A. Lasch, of Pennsylvania, secretary of New Mex-Chicago, the soming week, ico; Andrew J. Evans, of Texas, United States attorney for the western unit, and use their utmost endeavors in favor of an emphatic declaration by that body, for a tariff for revenue

4. We denounce as false utterly unfounded the charge made protected advocates tariff that form is hostile or to home labors, or home industries That the contrary is true is clearly demonstrated by the historical fact that labor and agriculture have prospered most under operation of a low

tariff. 5. Heartily approves and hally commends the course of Hon. Wm. R. Morrison, as chairman of the committee on ways and means in the jority of democrats in the lower nouse of congress in their efforts to bring about a reduction of the present The remainder of the resolutions are modeled almost directly after the platform recently adopted

SCENE OF EXCITEMENT. At the conclusion of the reading, Mr. Judd moved the adoption of the resolutions and called for the previous

Mayor Harrison, who arrived by rose on the floor of the convention and said, as a proxy from the third district, he desired to be heard before the question was put to a vote. Mem-bers of the convention rose to their

of this tariff plank now would endanger the success of the democracy the state and nation. He closed moving to strike out all that part of the platform referring to the tariff.

The motion was received with mingled cries, for and against. led cries, for and against.

Hon. W. R. Morrison was called part of Williamson county. Oats and for, and received with tumultuous corn won't be worth over twenty-five applause. He opposed the motion, cents a bushel-unless an outside marsaying that if what was want- ket can be found for the surplus ed by the democracy of Illinois, was grain, that the necessities of revenue should be provided, and thereafter, the tax pound, and wool men are looking b gatherer should stay his hand, let over the small price-having traded it; for declare if want tariff them so for it. The people could not be deceived by flocks of sheep are on the marwords. He hoped the gentleman who ket unless a had preceded him, would be nomina-

motion should be defeated. Ex-Governor Palmer said if Mayor Harrison was not willing to make the run on the platform, he should refuse the gubernatorial nomination if tendered by this convention. Harrison interrupted the speaker to say he was misrepre-

senting his position. His (Harrison's) motion was, not to strike out the our city council is a complete success plank, but merely the instructions to as far as it goes. The general immotion was, not to strike out the PEORIA, Ill., July 2.—The demother Illinois delegation to work in a cratic state convention was called to certain direction in the national convention. Intense excitement and great confusion followed, but a vote was finally taken and resulted: For striking out

> The platform, as amended, then v adopted viva vace. Gen. J. C. Black presented the name of Mayor Harrison, of Chicago, for governor, and the nomination wa made by acclamation at 10:30 p. m.

THE DELEGATES. PEORIA, July 2.—The following are the delegates for the state at large W. R. Morrison, John M. Palmer . C. Black, and Lambert Tree. The following is the list of district delegates at the convention this morn Ist district-J. C. MacKin, W. C.

supp. 2d—E. F. Cullerton, and J. H. Hildreth 3d-Carter H. Harrison, and Chris tian Cassellman 4th-Harry Robens, and F. H. Win-

5th-J. F. Giidden, and J. W. Ren wick. 6th-T. J. Sheehan, and F. H. 7th-C. H. McConicke, and Sher wood Dixon. 8th-A. I. O'Connor and J. R. Scoville. 9th-Andrew Kerr and W. R. Dann.

10th-S. P. Shape and Strawther Givens. 11th-B. F. Coble and John Hurgate. 42th—Ellis Briggs and W. L. Van leventer 13th-Maj. Cullom and Ben Pretty 14th-A. E. Stevens and Charles Swing. 15th-J. B. Lann and Wm. A. Day

Hawley. 17th—Judge Anthony Thornton and 18th-Wm. H. Kane and Douglas 16th-Charles E. McDowell and Wm. A. J. Sparks. 20th-J. Allen and Judge Wm. H. Green.

16th—Gen. W. B. Parsons and J. H.

DELEGATES' PREDILECTIONS. A canvass of delegates to the national convention shows a nearly unanimous sentiment for Tilden, if it which will enable us to get our papers before the first Star Route jury was mittee on labor, reported two joint mittee on permanent organization re- After Tilden, a majority favor Cleveland and under the unit rule, he would probably get the vote of Illinois. Some of the delegates favor McDonald and some Bayard.

SPACE FOR THE REPORT-ERS.

press arrangement; for the democrat the journals for whom provisions had been made, and accompanied the notilican convention by one hundred. Assignment to these has all been now be made, nor can the number be sentatives of the press, who have applied and had their applications regis-tered have been notified as to their admission to their part of the hall. These number several hundred. Enough to fill all the space allotted for

Chips From Chicago. CHICAGO, July 2.—The Louisiana It is not expected any considerable Chairman Daniel Manning, of the ed to arrive to-morrow.

A MICHIGAN MURDER. has just been completely unearthed in Ionia county. Two or three years 45, married a girl half his age, the step daughter of a man named Scott, with whom he lived and for whom he worked. The couple continued to live with Scott. After awhile troubmacy of Vanderburg's wife and Os- are under arms, and serious trocar Scott, a young man, son of Vanderburg's employer. In January last, Oscar and Vanderburg left home in search of employment at a lumber camp in the north woods. In Oscar returned a few days reported Vanderburg had and left him, but had no knowledge where he had gone. The wife, about the same time, gave out her husband had left her. About the same time she removed to Edmor, Mount

matter until last week, when it was accidentally discovered by some former acquaintance that Oscar Scott and Vanderburg's wife were living together, and had been since the lat-ter's removal. Suspicion was at once excited and officers began to push enquiries as to Vanderburg's where abouts. They traced him to Edmor where he at once disappeared from view. Yesterday a half filled well was discovered on the premises occupied by Scott. Thr officers began digging in it to see what could be found. Scott, who up to that time pretended to know nothing whatever of Vanderburg, after he left him last winter, quickly drew a revolver and shot himself. The fact confirmed the suspicions of the officers, who proceeded more vigorously with the work of excavating, which soon resulted in bringing the body of the murdered man to light, with unmistakable evidence of the fact of the murder.

TAYLOR, July 2 -A fine rain this morning, of an hour and a half dura-tion, made glad the hearts of the farmers and assures, beyond doubt, the

they and spent money during the past year protec- on the basis of getting 25 c. per pound Consequently How He Attempted to Pack the democratic administration next No ted and elected governor, but that his vember-helps them out. The great to the Marshal. draw-back to our sheepmen is that they are trying to hold on to the sinking ship steered by the republican Proceedings in Congress Yester

party, which is gradually carrying them under, and they will not come aboard the democratic life boat until their ship is entirely wrecked on the tariff rocks. The system of sewerage adopted by pression is that it don't go far enough, and the present board of aldermen

will be known, for several years, as the sewerage board.

FROM TAYLOR.

Wool is selling at 17 to 18 cents per

FROM LOCKHART. ecial Telegram to The Statesman. LOCKHART, July 2 .- The comm is ioners' court sat as an equalizing board yesterday and brought a consid rable croud to town who objected to aving their property raised. Wheat and oats are short, they are not threshing as well as was expected.

Corn and cotton were never better. The most of the cotton is waste high, while some scattering stalks will strike a man about the shoulder. In this immediate neighborhood we are needing rain badly.

The carp pond of Gov. Sayers and or. Blunt are alive with millions o ninnows.

There is a good opening here for me live man with a first-class hotel. There is nothing we need more. A negro by the name of Stoval was rought in town to-day who was shot by Kirk twelve miles west of here last inday, with a load of small shot in the fleshy part of the thigh. Hannig's bath house is the favorite J. T, Tyler has been among us week representing the interests of that

ive journal the STATESMAN and adled many new names to his already large list. Dr. Banks, of the firm of Banks & o., left yesterday for Kansas City. Weather hot!

Business quiet Mosquitos in attendance!

FROM SAN ANGELA. ecial Telegram to The Statesman SAN ANGELA, July 2.-We are hav ng much rain here. The range is very fine. Crops are also very good. There is much talk of the election eople here are very much opposed to the re-election of Governor Ireland. and sanction very much the nomination of Major W. M. Walton for attorney-general. The sheepmen of Tom Green and djoining districts propose to have another grand banquet before long. A great many people take the STATESMAN here, and it is continually growing in popularity. We will soon come up before the committee, western states, were agreed to. have a revision of our mail lines Brewster Cameron came to me just District court convenes here in

about a month. The criminal docket | minded him of the impropriety of the is very heavy, there being about fifty department of cases up for trial at that time.
W. F. Butler, of Florence, Texas. has been appointed district attorney that the attorney-general until the next general election in rather give \$25,000 than to have the November, Mr. Butler is a young man of more than ordinary talent and education. He promises soon to be one of the ablest lawyers in this state. He is one of the ablest and most elobringing many of the law-breakers of this country to justice, and the people

are very confident he will. FROM COLORADO.

COLORADO, July 2.—Cattle are be ing brought into the stock pens every lay for shipment. Yesterday the ceremony of laying the corner-stone of the Mitchell county Masonic orders were out in full regalia, and an immense crowd of our citizens were present. Col. J. M. Clark delivered a very eloquent

oration. Considerable preparation is being made for a grand ball on the fourth a the Frenkel opera house.

J. M. McKenzie, a cattleman at this lace, made an assignment to-day for the benefit of his creditors; H. M. Catlette, assignee, The operator, Davis, who is charge with appropriating \$600 from the Western Union Telegraph company, has been captured and brought back He is now lodged in jail. Your correspondent has been absent

from the city during the past week. INDIAN TERRITORY.

FORT SMITH, ARK., July 3 .- Th enforcement of the permit laws, is causing considerable excitement among the Choctaw nation, and rousing an opposition that may cause heir repeal. Under the Choctaw law every white man in the nation, or his employer, is required to pay a heavy permit tax, in order to live in the nation. Miles Hoyt, a wealthy Choctaw, having several white men in his aged employ, refused to pay the tax, and the authorities attached his stock. The district courthouse was burned. to be the incendiary. The Choctaw authorities pursued him and his party le was engendered by the undue inti- to the Cherokee nation. Both parti apprehended. The Indian landlords have appealed to the secretary of the interior against the enforcement of the permit laws, which are said to be unconstitutional, and agent Tufts endeavoring to stop further proceed ings. Pending the secretary's ion, the president has granted a par-don to Mat Music and a commutation of sentence to Fanny Echols. Both were to have been hung here on July 12.

The Prohibitionists. DECATUR, Ilis., July 2.—The national prohibition camp meeting, under the auspices of the national sociation, opened here at the fair grounds, and will continue ten days bringing together a remarkable array of talent.

Maritime News. NEW ORLEANS, July 2.—Cleared: steamship City Dallas Belize. Arrived, steamship E. B. Ward, jr. New Orleans, July 1.—Cleared: Steamships Hudson, Chalmette, New York, Raleigh, Ruatan. Arrived: steamship Ellie Knight, Bilize, Bark

ST. Louis, July 2.-Nathan Stevens. general western agent of the Penn-sylvania railroad, died at an early hour this morning of pneumonia, after a bill, he said, was based on barbarism, brief illness. Mr. Stevens was one of the old residents of this city and had been connected with the Pennsylvania been connected with the Pennsylvania and other railroads many years. He well known throughout the west. | nays 122.

ST. LOUIS, July 3.—A Post-Dispatch special from Cunningham, Mo., says: Six bodies were taken out to-day from the wreck on the tonate gham & Burlington railroad where the train went through a brid. e Saturnay night last. It was given out at that time that no lives were lost. The scene of the wreck was surrounded by a big that no lives were lost. The scene of the wreck was surrounded by a big crowd and there was much excite-

KELLOCC.

HE REFRESHES BREWSTER'S MEM ORY, AND IN A WAY THAT BREWSTER MUST DESPISE.

The Ex-Senator Presents a Let-120 to 54. ter Showing Up Brewster Cameron

Jury, and Mentioned Money

day-The President's Veto Not Downed in the Senate.

Wasaington, July 3.—Attorney General Brewster, was before the Springer committee to-day. Witness stified that Brewster Cameron was fully exonerated from the charge of attempting to bribe the jury in the rosecution of the star route cases. Question-Do you think Merrick did, or omitted to do anything but his Answer-I should be very sorry pelieve any such thing. He did his

lished by Bliss was indiscreet, but he day by the chairman was agreed did not believe Bliss or Merrick had day by the chairman was agreed been guilty of any infidelity to the to, providing for a session of the cases. Referring to the president's senate, to-morrow, July wishes and influence in the cases, resolution was agreed to, authorizing witness said the president, from the beginning, had done all he could to assist witness in the work and had been pacity of steel producing works in the of much value to the prosecution. Question-Do you include the Kel-

Answer-Why, of course I do. Answer—Why, of course I do. I character and sufficiency of tools in said the Star route cases; that included them all. ble for the manufacture of engines Witness' attention was called for such vessels, and guns for such reported complaint by Merrick that vessels and sea coast defenses. Also certain local officials had been retained in office after they should have | manufacturing the same, whether by been discharged. Witness said Bliss government or by contract with pri and Merrick made a special complaint vate parties. The senate insisted up

aid and comfort to the defense. Wit- and ordered a conference. ness went at once to the president and | The fortification bill passed the reported the matter and the president | senate, precisely as it came from the emoved the men without delay, senate appropriation committee. The One was Marshall Heary and the most important change made by the other was Ainger city postmaster. committee is an increase of \$200,000 Ex-Senator Kellogg sent the folin the house item, for the armament owing letter to Chairman Springer: of the seaport fortifications. Washington, July 3.—Sir: I have Ordered that the hour of the meet-just received the testimony of Attor-ing of the house Saturday be 9 o'clock, ney-General Brewster, given before and conference report on "fourth o your committee. I observe he is reported as having stated he had investigated charges of alleged improper house resumed consideration of the interference with the Star Route jury, Mexican pension bill. After severe and there was no proof whatever for any charges made against Brewster

roll calls the motion was agreed to. Much opposition to Mr. Lyle was ameron in connection with this manifested, and Mr. Hewitt, (Ala) and natter. I think, in this, Brewster is Hardeman, interjected several momistaken, or his memory fails him. Among other proofs and charges tions to adjourn, which were voted down, but which rendered progress which have been made are those conwith the bill very slow. tained in a letter written by Ex.-United States Marshal E. S. Henry, a well known, highly respected, and credible until the bill passed. man, I think, all will admit. The following is the letter: GEAUGA LAKE, OHIO, June tain soldiers from the charge of deser 1884:-I see the subject of tion, and to establish local branch bribing of the soldier's home in one of the attempted impannelled, and wanted me on three names as talismen. I rethe house calendar, proposing constitutional amendments conferring on congress power to limit the hours of jurors, when he insisted the men labor in textile and other manufactur-

should be put on, and gave as a reason defendant escape; that if the jury failed to convict, it could, at least, be arranged to disagree. I refused to become a party to such villainy. Whereupon, the following morning quent speakers in the state, and it is access in the state, and it is some of the authorized for the next of the n whole country would hold me responsible." His talk savored of a stump speech, and when he arose to leave the room I saw a stenographer in a corner of the room, having apparently been taking down the conversation. To this I did not object, only I thought it of order. ungentlemanly and found a partial excuse for the attorney general in my own mind, on the ground he was heavily under the influence of liquor. to filibustering tactics and left the I also heard George Bliss say, several times, during the trial, that he did not think Dorsey should be convicted as there was no evidence against him. When they openly defamed me and reported I had packed the jury, I

> general's barber, one Kennedy, was daily with one or two jurors. I have given only an outline of the infamy. prepared opinion upon the bill for the restorment of Fitz John i'orter to the Very truly, yours, [Signed] E. S. HENRY. army, in which he expresses the opin I desire to call your special attention to this letter, and I desire ion that the bill is clearly unconstitu tional. He says, in part, whatever power congress has upon the subject renture to say that if you will call Ex-Marshal Henry, Col. Anger, late postthe appointment in the army must be master of this city, as also Wm. Dick-son, foreman of the star route jury, together with other witnesses whose derived from the following clause in constitution. names they will, as I am informed, declare war, etc., to raise and support

denounced it as false. The attorney-

furnish you, much light thrown upon the matter. Very Respectfully Signed. W. P. KELLOGG.

make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execu-But another clause of the constitu-tion declares the president shall nomi-SENATE. WASHINGTON, July 3.-After reading of the journal, the chair laid before the senate the Fitz John Pornate, and by and with the advice and consent of the senate, appoint ambas-sadors and all other officers of the ter veto message, which was read; the United States, whose appointments question being, shall the bill pass notare not herein otherwise provided for, and which shall be established by withstanding the objections of the president? The yeas and nays were taken without debate, and resulted in a tie vote: yeas, 27; nays, 27; two-thirds not voting in the affirmative, president by the same instrument which gives congress the powers above mentioned, namely; To make the bill failed to pass. The following rules for the government and regula-tion of the land forces, etc. From Yeas—Bayard, Beck, Brown, But-ler, Call, Cameron, of Pennsylvania the powers conferred upon congress the power to designate, by law, a per-Cockrell, Coke, Fair, Farley, Garland,

Groome, Hampton, Harris, Hoar, Jonas, Jones, of Florida, Maxey, Morgan, Pike, Pugh, Sansom, Sewell, Vance, Vest and Voorhees—27. son to fill a military office, cannot be implied, since this would be in direct Nays-Aldrich, Allison, Blair, Bowen, Cameron, of Wisconsin; Conger, Dawes, Dolph, Edmunds, Hale, Harrison, Hawley, Hill, Ingalls, Lapham, Logan, McMillan, of New York, Mitchell, Morrill, Palmer, Platt attempting to impose upon the presi-dent a duty to appoint persons desig-nated therein, it is without any sup-Plumb, Sawyer, Sherman, Van Wyck port in the constitution. It is an a and Wilson-27.

Mr. Dawes, from the committee on appropriations, reported the fortifica-Mr. Jones, of Nevada, explained he had been necessarily absent during the vote on the Fitz John Porter bill, and make if he had been in the chamber he would have voted in favor of the bill will, that may or may not be followed. Mr. Blair, from the committee on

the calendar. The anti-Chinese bill was called up by Mr. Miller, of California. Mr. Platt moved to strike out the clause excluding the Chinese who are subjects of this government, rather than that of China Mr. Hoar reaffirmed his disapproba tion of this class of legislation

education and labor, reported, favora-

bly, bill to legalize the incorporation

of national trades unions. Placed on

The bill was amended—yeas 43, nays 122.

The senate resumed consideration of the bill to forfeit unearned lands granted to the Atlantic and Pacific railroad company.

Mr. Morgan continued his remarks

The bill was amended-yeas 43,

select committee had agreed the tesl BARTHOLDI'S STATUE. imony thoroughly vindicated him. Mr. Hammond moved to lay the

be laid on the table.

present congress.

Inited States, to make steel suitable

Mr. Townsend said, in response

inquiry, the house would not adjourn

Pending further action the con

ference reports on bills to relieve cer-

Mr. O'Neill, (Mo.,) from the con

The senate amendments to the for tification appropriation bill were non-

concurred in and Messrs. Randall, For

The house then resumed considera

Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama, raised the

consider, in committee of the whole

the senate amendment, granting ;

who were married after they were dis

The speaker sustained the point of

The house then proceeded to th

After a call of the house recess was

taken until to-morrow morning at 10

That congress shall have power

armies, to make rules for the govern-

ment and regulation of the

This is a power expressly given the

conflict with the power of appoint

ment expressly given the president as

Regarding the bill as imposing, or

sumption of implied power, which is

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and clearly invades the constitutiona

right of the president. Congress has

no right to enact, as law, that which will be ineffectual. It cannot enact

that

Counsel is a matter of persuasion

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sel acts upon the willing; law upor the unwilling also (Blackstone's Com

mentaries, p. 447). Then this bill will

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tion of the Mexican pension bill.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The follow whole matter on the table. Agreed to: reas 137, nays 72. place, by telegraph, between Mr. Fre-Mr. Holman moved, when the house linghuysen, secretary of state, and Mr. Morton, American minister at Paris, adjourn to-day, it be to meet Saturday next. He thought this action would in regard to the presentation, on July give time for the conference commit-4, by France to this country, of the tee to meet, and would thereby facilicolossal bronze statue, "Liberty Entate final adjournment. Agreed to: lightening the World," which has re-

cently been completed at Paris. Mr. Finnerty said he was absent MORTON TO FRELINGHUYSEN. yesterday, when the vote was taken on the passage of the Fitz John Por-Paris, June 28.—Hon. Frederick T. Frelinghuysen, sec'y. The French ter bill, in the belief he was paired. government, desiring with the undertaking, the American He found he was mistaken. Had he been present he would have voted for Union committee, the president of the council proposes with the president Mr. Robinson (New York) made a with committee for the formal transfer of similar statement. Mr. Hammond offered the report the statue of liberty to me, as the from the select committee appointed

representative of the president of the United States, pursuant to a resoluto inquire whether any members had violated the privileges of the house. The committee find no custom or tion of congress. The French minister of marine also usage which would justify them in proposes to furnish a war vessel for transportation to the United conclusion that the conduct of Wm. States. The ceremony of presenta H. English in the contested election tion is fixed for the fourth of July. case of English vs. Peele, was a [Signed] LEVI P. MORTON,

breach of the privileges of the house, and recommended the whole matter FRELINGHUYSEN TO MORTON. epartment of State, Washington, July 3, Levi P. Morton, Minister, Paris, Sir: I am directed by the president to in-Mr. Millard presented a minority report, declaring the charge that Wm. H. English lobbied on the floor in the struct you, as the representative of the United States government, to atinterests of his son, was fully sustained by the testimony, and that his contend the ceremonies at Paris on July duct was improper, and a flagrant 4th, incideut to the presentation to violation of the privileges of the this country of the colossal bronze statue "Liberty Enlighten-ing the World," and, on behalf of the house. The report was accompanied by a resolution, excluding Wm. H. English from the floor during the president to make known its acceptance. You will avail yourself of the opportunity to express the thanks of turbance, the government and the people of the limited. United States, for the statue, as a work of art, and as a monument of the abiding friendship of the people of France. You will assure France and the president, council and citizens of the French republic that the American people return, most heartily, the friendly sentiments which prompted for guns of high power, and plate suitable for war ships, and into the this noble gift to America.

(Signed.) FREDERICK T. FRELINGHUYSEN.

Placarding the Headquarters. CHICAGO, July 3.—The Alabama and Nevada delegations to the Democratic National Convention arrived this morning with full numbers, makthat certain local officers were giving on its amendments to the sundry bill ing the first of the arrivals. A portion of the New York delegation also arrived, among whom may be num-bered Daniel Manning, chairman of the delegation. The California delegetion held a caucus during the fore-noon to outline their future plan of action, but came to no final decision. The hotel lobbies are beginning to be scenes of great activity, and the carding of state headquarters has already been commenced. The hall-ways and lobbies of all the leading ho-The halltels were decorated this morning with Mr. Townshend moved that the house resumed consideration of the views of Roswell C. Flower.

En Route to Chicago. BALTIMORE, July 3.—A special train on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, conveying newspaper correspondents to national convention at Chicago, left this morning at 8:30. Representatives of all the dailies in this city were passengers, and at Washington about sixty gentlemen representing the leading papers of the country will join the train, which will each Chicago to-morrow noon.

Extension Granted. Youngstown, O., July 3 .- To-day Messrs. Andrews & Hitchcock, 1ron manufacturers and coal operators, asked extension from their creditors, which will be granted, and the firm will continue business. The firm is very wealthy, but depression in the iron business, and inability to realize on even good commercial paper caused the extension to be asked. The firm has the confidence of the business men ing establishments, and prohibiting the states from hiring convict labor. and no further trouble is expected. Weinberger to Hang.

PITTSBURG, July 3.—The death varrant, naming Tuesday, Sept. 2nd ney and Keifer were appointed confor his execution, was read this after-noon to Martin Weinberger, convicted of the murder of Louis Godfriend, a peddler, two years ago. Weinberger was much affected. The delay in the execution was caused by an attempt of the German Cousul to interest the point of order that the house must pension to soldiers of the Mexican war home government in Weinberger's

The Wyoming Anniversary. WILKESBARRE, Pa., July 3.—The nemorative association took place at Wyoming this afternoon, where was served the 160th anniversary of the battle and massacre of Wyoming by an informal reunion at the old monument. Addresses were made by prominent peakers before a large gathering of old settlers. Washington, June 2.—Attorney General Brewster submitted to the president to-day, in compliance with a

Locomotive Engineers PHILADELPHIA, July 3,—A delegation of locomotive engineers, headed by chief engineer Arthur, from the Lehigh, New Jersey Central, and other ilines operated by the Reading com-pany, called on President Keim, to-day, and were informed that the pay car was on the way over the road, paying May wages, and they left apparently satisfied.

Murder in Kentucky. NICHOLASVILLE, KY., July 3.— Humphrey and Bill Best, brothers and notorious desperadoes, brutali tilled an inoffensive colored man named Green Barley in Girard county, yes terday. The Bests, who were drunk, met Barley walking with a female friend. Humphrey Best ordered Barley to cease fanning himself. Barley replied jokingly and continued fanning, whereupon Humphrey drew a revolver and Bill Best a knife. Both using these weapons, killed Barley in-stantly. Bill Best boasted he had killed a negro before, and this would not be his last. Both the Bests are in

JERSEY CITY, July 3.—Employees of branches of the Central railway, New Jersey, are being paid May wa ges to-day, but say they will not re-turn to work until the June payments

Manufactory Destroyed. SALEM, O. July 3.—This morning, between one and two o'clock, the large manufacturing establishment of the Silver & Deming Manufacturing Company, took fire and was entirely destroyed. Loss estimated \$100,000, on which \$40,500 insurance. About 150 men are thrown out of employment. Suffocated by Gas.

CHICAGO, July 3.—Four working men, employed by the Calumet Iron and Steel Co., while engaged clearing one of the large chimneys connected with the works, were suffocated by gas and their dead bodies were taken but this morning some hours after their death. Ohio Town Burned TOLEDO, O., July 3 .- A fire at Pem berville, Ohio, last night destroyed the greater part of the business portion of the town. Loss and insurance not yet known, but it is estimated the

former will exceed the latter by about of law, and congress can enact nothing \$25,000. Disinfecting the Mails. WASHINGTON, July 3 .- To avoi to objection upon the ground that congress thereby in effect creates an office, only upon condition it is to be filled by a particular individual named. If this principle were adopted generally in the creation of offices, it would obviously result in constraining the appointing power to account

Senator Cullom's Bill.

Washington, July 3.—Senator Jones (Nev.) reported to the senate, to-day, with amendments, a bill introduced by Senator Cullom, to provide for the construction of the Michigan and Mississippi river canal.

Anti-Slavery Society.

Washington, July 4.—The antislavery society held its first semi-annual centennial meeting here to-day.

After a social reunion, Dr. Wilcox, the response of the meeting here to-day.

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title of the lands as to forfeiture.

Mr. Dolph supported Morgan's amendment.

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MARHI-Slavery Society.

Washington, July 4.—The antimater annual centennial meeting here to-day.

After a social reunion, Dr. Wilcox, secretary of the society, reviewed its history and operations. Addresses were made by many members and letters were read from Jno. Jay, J. J. Whittier, Fred Douglas and others.

PANAMA.

REVOLUTION, IN A SMALL W THREATENED DOWN AT THE ISTEMUS.

Dr. Crevera, Turned Out of t Presidency, Raises a Rumpus.

Banking, Financial and Oth Interesting Matters Among Our Mexican Neighbors.

rogress of the Cholera-R newal of the Franco-Chinese War Threatened.

PANAMA, July 3-The superior court at Panama, yesterday impeache Dr. Crevera, president of the state of Panama, for bribery, and named Ger Ruiz, second vice-president, as pre dent. Dr. Crevera refuses to the presidential mansion. He is su rounded by about 100 friends, arme and has fifty police armed with Rem ington rifles under his orders. Presi dent Ruiz demanded the building to day, through Gen. Ibauez, com mandant of the Panama garrison Ibauez has 700 well armed men, and will crush Crevera at once. The dis turbance, if one occurs, will be self Crevera is very unpopular.

LATER. Two regiments of national troops are in Panama, and, it is thought, or der will be maintained. All the trouble will be between the liberal and conservatives. An English manof-war is expected on this station within twenty-four hours. French and American interests are wholly unprotected. Some fear a repetition of the revolution of 1879, which would be very disastrous to the canal company. MEXICAN MATTERS

CITY OF MEXICO, July 3.—The report of the directors of the Monteple bank will be ready to-morrow. It shows a favorable condition of affairs At the end of May the assets over the liabilities were \$1,422,000. Cal-culating real estate at cost, while its values have enormously increased, and \$1,640,000 worth of claims are liquidated at par since the failure. Half a million dollars worth of notes, of \$100 denomination, will be burned, to-morrow, in the presence t the minister of finance, and notary Out of a former circulation of 84,000,-000 but \$1,600,000 are now unrede Confidence in the institution restored. It is, howeveresolved to discontinue the banking depot and follow the charitable plans of the founder.

The first half year's Vera Cruz cus-tom house receipts have fallen off \$78,780 per month below last year, with a corresponding decrease at o Two freight trains collided on the Mexican Central, near Marquez, caused by disobedience of orders by the conductor and engineer of the north bound train. An American fireman

named Statherick, was killed

FRANCE. BROKEN OUT AT LYONS. LYONS, July 2.- A case of

RELIEF FUND.

Paris, July 2.-Vice-Admiral Peyton, minister of marine, has issued circular asking for subscriptions to from cholera belonging to the navy. A FRIGHTENED ACTRESS. MARSEILLES, July 2 .- Berthier, of

Paris, an actress, while taking part in a play in the theatre, to-night, heard that a spectator had been seized with the cholera, and abruptly fied to Paris costume. SPREADING IN THE VILLAGES. Toulon, July 2.—The cholera has spread to the villages in this vicinity, and four deaths have occurred.

PRIESTS TO REMAIN AT THEIR POSTS. Rome, July 2 .- The pope has ordered members of the priesthood in chol-era infected districts to remain at their posts, and has placed a fund at the disposal of the bishops to be used in urgent cases of disease.

A woman from Touton died at Nitimiglia, to-day, of cholera. NEW REMEDY FOR CHOLERA. LONDON, July 2.-Advices from Toulon state five cases of the cholera The effect of this is immediate, consists in restoring warmth to the system and making the pulse normal The Times, commenting on this, says nervous persons may henceforth trust in the existence of a cure for cholera. The academy of medicine

ought to inquire into the oxygen

DEATHS AT TOULON. Paris, July 2.—The governor of Salgon telegraphs there is no epidemic there. Between 1 o'clock last night, and 10 this morning, 5 cholers' deaths occurred in Toulon; 2 deaths at Marseilles last night. Reports of cholera at Lyons are denied. The sanit condition of that city is excellent. STOPPING THE REFUGEES.

Rome, July 2 .- The guards at Vintimiglia, on the Italian frontier, are stopping refugees from Marseilles, from passing iuto Italy. PORTS ON THE BLACK SEA.

Bucharest, July 2.—The port of Magnolia, on the Black sea, is closed to vessels from Mediterranean ports. At Kistend and Sulina, such vessels ale subject to eight days Toulon, July 3 .- The Italian con-

PANIC INCREASING. Marseilles, July 3.—Three deaths from cholera are reported since last night. At least 6,000 inhabitants have fled. Four hundred poor workmen city. The panic unquestionably is increasing. In the face of this, however, the physicians and chemists of the city, held a meeting and declared the alarm senseless. The rate of mortality, at present, they aver, does not exceed that which is usual at periods of great heat. They ex-press the belief that many deaths, at-tributed to cholors are really and tributed to cholera, are really due to other causes. The municipal author-ities have decided to forego the customary celebration of the fourth

Paris, July 3.—The prefect of po-lice has ordered all passengers from places where cholera is prevalent, dis-infected. Some Parisian journals assert there were three cases of chol-era in Paris yesterday. The Voltaire denies this, but admits there are isolated cases every summer. It says the sanitary condition of Paris is good Travellers who pass into Italy by Mount Cenis tunnel, are quarantined five days at the frontier. TOULON AND MARSEILLES.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The secretary of state, to-day, received a cable message from Consul Mason, at Marseilles, as follows:

"The situation is worse at Toulon.
The deaths average ten to thirteen a